

1 RICK MADSEN,  
2 Plaintiff,  
3 vs.  
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5 SUE E. RISENHOOVER, et al.,  
6 Defendants.  
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8 No. C 09-5457 SBA (PR)  
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10 **ORDER REFERRING PLAINTIFF TO  
11 FEDERAL PRO BONO PROJECT; AND  
12 STAYING PROCEEDINGS PENDING  
13 APPOINTMENT OF COUNSEL**

14 Having determined that it would be beneficial to have counsel assist Plaintiff in this  
15 matter, and good and just cause appearing, the Court hereby REFERS the action to the  
16 Federal Pro Bono Project to secure pro bono counsel to represent Plaintiff in this action, in  
17 the manner set forth below:

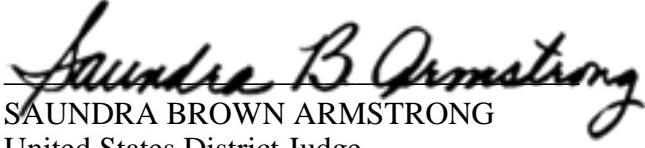
18 (1) The Clerk of the Court shall forward to the Federal Pro Bono Project copies  
19 of: (a) this Order; (b) the docket sheet; and (c) the operative complaint (Dkt. 1), the  
20 relevant Court Orders (Dkts. 22, 134, 202), as well as the Report of Pro Se Prisoner Early  
21 Settlement Proceeding by Magistrate Judge Nandor Vadas (Dkt. 217).

22 (2) Upon an attorney being located to represent Plaintiff, that attorney shall be  
23 appointed as counsel for Plaintiff in this matter until further Order of the Court.

24 (3) The instant action is temporarily STAYED and administratively closed until  
25 the Court is informed by the Federal Pro Bono Project that counsel has been secured and  
26 appointed by the Court. Upon the appointment of counsel, the action will be reopened and  
27 a Case Management Conference will be scheduled.

28 IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: 9-30-2014

  
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29 SAUNDRA BROWN ARMSTRONG  
30 United States District Judge  
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12 **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

13 I, the undersigned, hereby certify that I am an employee in the Office of the Clerk, U.S.  
14 District Court, Northern District of California.

15 That on 10/10/2014, I SERVED a true and correct copy(ies) of the attached, by placing  
16 said copy(ies) in a postage paid envelope addressed to the person(s) hereinafter listed, by  
17 depositing said envelope in the U.S. Mail, or by placing said copy(ies) into an inter-office delivery  
18 receptacle located in the Clerk's office.

19 Rick Madsen ID: E10400  
20 California State Prison - Sacramento  
21 P.O. Box 290066  
22 Represa, CA 95671

23 Dated: 10/10/2014

24 Richard W. Wieking  
25 Clerk, United States District Court

26 By: \_\_\_\_\_  
27 Nikki D. Riley, Deputy Clerk to the  
28 Honorable SAUNDRA BROWN ARMSTRONG